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SYNCHRONOUS COMPENSATOR	)	
PLANT	)	

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

March 28, 2000

Commissioner of Patents  
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 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

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Claim 1. (Amended) A mobile synchronous compensator plant comprising at least one rotating electric machine having at least one winding [characterized in that] wherein the winding in at least one of the electric machines comprises an insulation system including at least two semiconducting layers, each of said semiconducting layers [layer constituting] essentially an equipotential surface and [also] including solid insulation disposed therebetween, and [in that] wherein the plant is [a mobile unit in the sense that with regard to size and weight and number of components substantially the complete unit (21) is] transportable by a lorry, a railway truck, or a helicopter.